

**Licensed Vocational Nursing  
Certificate of Proficiency – Level Two**

Texas Southmost College  
Health Care, Career and Technical Education Division

January to December Program

Graduates of the Vocational Nursing Program have the following employment opportunities: staff nurse, nursing home, adult day care, doctor’s office and correctional facilities.

<b>PREREQUISITES</b>	<b>CREDIT HOURS</b>
<a href="#">HPRS 1101</a> <sup>+</sup> Introduction to Health Professions .....	1
<a href="#">HPRS 1106</a> <sup>+</sup> Essentials of Medical Terminology .....	1
<a href="#">HPRS 1204</a> <sup>+</sup> Basic Health Profession Skills.....	2
<a href="#">BIOL 2301</a> <sup>+</sup> Anatomy and Physiology I.....	3
<a href="#">BIOL 2302</a> <sup>+</sup> Anatomy and Physiology II .....	3
 <b>SPRING SEMESTER</b>	
<a href="#">VNSG 1304</a> Foundations of Nursing.....	3
<a href="#">VNSG 1331</a> Pharmacology .....	3
<a href="#">VNSG 1226</a> Gerontology .....	2
<a href="#">VNSG 1402</a> Applied Nursing Skills I .....	4
<a href="#">VNSG 1260</a> <sup>1</sup> Clinical - Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training .....	2
 <b>SUMMER I SEMESTER</b>	
<a href="#">VNSG 1238</a> Mental Illness.....	2
<a href="#">VNSG 1230</a> Maternal-Neonatal Nursing.....	2
<a href="#">VNSG 1161</a> <sup>1</sup> Clinical - Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training .....	1
 <b>SUMMER II SEMESTER</b>	
<a href="#">VNSG 1234</a> Pediatrics.....	2
<a href="#">VNSG 1162</a> <sup>1</sup> Clinical - Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training .....	1
 <b>FALL SEMESTER</b>	
<a href="#">VNSG 1329</a> Medical/Surgical Nursing I.....	3
<a href="#">VNSG 2261</a> <sup>1</sup> Clinical - Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training .....	2
<a href="#">VNSG 1332</a> Medical/Surgical Nursing II.....	3
<a href="#">VNSG 2262</a> <sup>1</sup> Clinical - Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training .....	2
<a href="#">VNSG 1119</a> Leadership and Professional Development .....	1

**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION 43**

<sup>+</sup> Grade of “B” or better is required for admissions to the LVN Program.

<sup>1</sup>Pass or Fail

TSI Requirement (Texas Success Initiative - any other state-approved test) - Student must take all three sections of state-approved test to graduate with this degree.

A minimum grade of “C” must be obtained in each (VNSG) course required in the certificate plan.